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Upon review of the response and amendments received March 3, 2008 the following matter was observed: The instant application recites claims comprising SEQ ID numbers yet no paper or electronic version of a sequence listing are present in the instant application. Applicant is reminded that the requirements of applications which contain sequence disclosures that include nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences are set forth in 37 CFR 1.821-1.825. Applicant is further reminded that if the instant application does not have an appropriate SEQ ID NO: for each disclosed sequence, then Applicant must comply with the Sequence Rules as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821-1.825. Given that no sequence listing has been provided, it appears that the instant application does not satisfy the requirements set forth in 37 CFR 1.821-1.825. Appropriate correction to comply with the rules is required.

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Michael Szperka whose telephone number is 571-272-2934. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 8:00-4:30. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Eileen O'Hara can be reached on 571-272-0878. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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